IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) :

Keihiro Kurakata

Serial No.

10/729,512

For

IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS, IMAGE DATA DISPLAY METHOD FOR THE SAME, PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING THE METHOD

AND STORAGE MEDIUM STORING THE PROGRAM

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Examiner

Amy R. Hsu

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

Applicant hereby requests that the Examiner permit applicant's undersigned attorney to conduct a telephone interview with the Examiner to discuss the Preliminary Amendment being filed herewith, in order to expedite the prosecution of this application and in the event a further explanation of applicant's arguments is needed in order to obtain allowance of the application. The Examiner is requested to telephone applicant's undersigned attorney at 212-790-9286 to arrange for such an interview.

Dated: September 22, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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